

## 1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The driver's license is one source of  
3 identification used in the State of Illinois and elsewhere;  
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5 WHEREAS, The general public and the business community of  
6 Illinois wish to have a driver's license which is secure,  
7 accurate, and that permits record integrity; and

8 WHEREAS, Currently, seven states--California, Colorado,  
9 Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Texas and West Virginia--collect  
10 fingerprints at application for a driver's license; West  
11 Virginia uses facial recognition technology to verify the  
12 identity of individuals seeking to renew or replace a  
13 driver's license; and Colorado is planning to implement a  
14 facial recognition system similar to that used in West  
15 Virginia later this year; and

16 WHEREAS, new biometric technology is now available that  
17 can verify the identity of individuals based on their unique  
18 physical characteristics; therefore be it

19 RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-THIRD GENERAL  
20 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that there is created an  
21 Illinois Identification Technology Task Force for the purpose  
22 of researching and evaluating available technologies for the  
23 identification of driver's license applicants; and be it  
24 further

25 RESOLVED, That the Illinois Identification Technology  
26 Task Force shall consist of the following members: 4 members  
27 of the Illinois Senate, two of whom shall be appointed by the  
28 President of the Senate and two of whom shall be appointed by  
29 the Minority Leader of the Senate; and one member designated  
30 by the Secretary of State; and be it further

31 RESOLVED, That the Illinois Identification Technology  
32 Task Force shall report its findings to the General Assembly  
33 and the Secretary of State no later May 1, 2004.